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POWER CONVERTER ASSEMBLY WITH VERY LOW BUS
IMPEDANCE
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 5 of this paper and include a marked up version as well as an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.